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For: GROWTH OF FOREIGN CELLS IN FETAL ANIMALS FACILITATED BY CONDITIONAL AND SELECTIVE DESTRUCTION OF NATIVE HOST CELLS

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the non-final Office Action mailed August 20, 2007. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733 for a one month extension of time.

Claims 1-12 are pending. Claim 6 is withdrawn. Claims 1-5 and 7-12 are rejected.

Please enter the following amendments.